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SENATE BILL 1167

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 12-283, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO THE CLERK OF
THE SUPERIOR COURT.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 12-283, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 12-283. Powers and duties

5 A. The clerk, in addition to the other duties prescribed by law or
6 rule of court, shall:

- 7 1. Attend each session of the court held in the county.
8 2. Keep a list of fees charged in actions.
9 3. Keep books of record required by law or rule of court.

10 B. The clerk may provide a consumer reporting agency, as defined in
11 ~~title 44, chapter 11, article 6~~ SECTION 44-1691 with a copy of:

12 1. A court order obligating a person to pay child support or spousal
13 maintenance.

14 2. An order for assignment under section 25-323 or 25-504.

15 C. A clerk who provides the information in subsection B of this
16 section to a consumer reporting agency shall also provide the information to
17 the child support enforcement administration in the department of economic
18 security.

19 D. The clerk may, in accordance with procedures established by the
20 board of supervisors, MAY appoint deputies, clerks and assistants necessary
21 to conduct the affairs of the office of the clerk. The appointments shall be
22 in writing and shall be filed in the office of the county recorder. The
23 clerk shall be the appointing authority and shall administer and supervise
24 all employees of the clerk's office.

25 E. The clerk shall submit an annual budget request, which shall be
26 coordinated with the presiding judge, to the county board of
27 supervisors. The clerk shall be responsible for the funds appropriated by
28 the board to the clerk.

29 F. The clerk shall maintain and provide access to court records in
30 accordance with applicable law or rule of court. The clerk shall keep a
31 docket in the form and style as prescribed by the supreme court.

32 G. The clerk is responsible for the operations of the clerk's office.

33 H. The clerk may provide programs to assist in the enforcement of
34 child support, spousal maintenance and parenting time and in the
35 establishment and modification of child support.

36 I. FROM AND AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2007, A CLERK IN A COUNTY WITH A
37 POPULATION OF TWO MILLION PERSONS OR MORE SHALL COMPILE AND PUBLISH
38 ELECTRONICALLY ALL SUPERIOR COURT CRIMINAL CASE MINUTE ENTRIES, EXCEPT AS
39 OTHERWISE PROHIBITED BY LAW. AT A MINIMUM, THE INFORMATION SHALL BE ARRANGED
40 OR SEARCHABLE BY THE CASE NAME, NUMBER AND THE NAME OF THE JUDGE OR
41 COMMISSIONER.

1 J. BEGINNING ON JANUARY 1, 2010, THE CLERK IN A COUNTY WITH A
2 POPULATION OF LESS THAN TWO MILLION PERSONS SHALL COMPILE AND PUBLISH
3 ELECTRONICALLY ALL SUPERIOR COURT CRIMINAL CASE MINUTE ENTRIES, EXCEPT AS
4 OTHERWISE PROHIBITED BY LAW. AT A MINIMUM, THE INFORMATION SHALL BE ARRANGED
5 OR SEARCHABLE BY THE CASE NAME, NUMBER AND THE NAME OF THE JUDGE OR
6 COMMISSIONER.

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